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"Promoting Excellence In Teaching and Learning in the First Two Years of College Mathematics"

InMATYC Spring 2026 Conference Information and Agenda

Date: Friday, April 10, 2025 10:15 am – 2:35 pm ET

Location: Ivy Tech Community College – Richmond, IN ([2357 Chester Blvd, Richmond, IN 47374](#))

Room: Johnson Hall 2334/2335

In-person attendees: Lane Bloome, Mike Eusebio, Matthew Kennedy, Ren Simmons, Darron Steele, Christine Langer, Rebecca Wulf, Luanne Benson-Lender, Emmanuel Yeboah

Virtual attendees: Alex Cibotarica, Satya Dronamraju, Becky Morse, Lily Afriyie, Rachel Boatman, A. Royal, Jerry Tauber, Gary Netherton, Sarah Lipphardt, Kinga Oliver, Paul Hessert, Victoria Kruglov, Ed Gallo, Tamara Miller

Time (all ET)	Activity
10:15 am – 10:30 am	Welcome, Announcements, and Registration (Mike Eusebio)
10:30 am – 10:55 am	Using Weekly Check-in Assignments to Promote Student Success This session will explore lessons learned using weekly check-in assignments for three courses in the Spring 2026 semester: one in the first 8 week term, one (ongoing) course in the second 8 week term, and one (ongoing) 16-week course. These low-stakes survey-style assignments were designed to provide: a routine point of contact with students, an opportunity for students to reflect on and communicate about their experiences in the course, a space for students to inform their instructor of learning barriers, and a forum for formative feedback on instruction. Hopefully my experiences using these assignments this semester will begin a conversation on how to refine this practice! Lane Bloome, Assistant Professor of Mathematics Ivy Tech Community College (Lafayette)
10:55 am – 11:00 am	Transition
11:00 am - 11:25 am	Analyzing Student Work Let's dive into student work! In this segment, we will analyze various student work to see what went wrong and what went well. How can we improve as instructors to teach it better the second, third, and infinite time around! Presenter: Mike Eusebio, Associate Professor of Mathematics Ivy Tech Community College (Columbus)
11:30 am – 12:20 pm	Lunch with Sponsored Presentation

	Our thanks to our lunch sponsor, McGraw Hill Education!
12:30 pm - 12:55 pm	The "Adjunct Adjustment" What's it like for a new adjunct instructor to join with seasoned math faculty? Adjuncts come from all sorts of different backgrounds and when they merge into teaching at the college level, there is a definite learning curve they need to go through to adjust. Adjunct Becky Morse will share her experiences: What was easy, what was hard, what was unexpected, what are the highs, what are the lows, and why it's a ton of fun being a math adjunct. Presenter: Becky Morse, Math Adjunct Ivy Tech Community College (Columbus)
12:55 pm - 1:00 pm	Transition
1:00 pm – 1:30 pm	Integrating AI into Instruction: What's Working, What's Next As faculty continue to experiment with AI tools, shared learning is key. In this session, Tamara Miller will showcase how MathGPT.ai has been used in math courses and what the data and student feedback reveal. The session will culminate in a facilitated discussion where attendees share successes, challenges, and ideas for responsibly integrating AI into their own courses. Presenter: Tamara Miller, Program Chair of Mathematics Ivy Tech Community College (Columbus)
1:35 pm - 2:20 pm	Business Meeting • Secretary Report (Luanne Benson-Lender) - Link to last meeting's minutes: Click here! • Treasurer Report (Matthew Kennedy) • Scholarship Committee (Matthew Kennedy) • Website Committee (Luanne Benson-Lender) • Nomination Committee (Ed Gallo) • Election of 3 Board Directors (July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2028) • Discussion on Conferences • Celebrations/Announcements • Closing Announcements and Door Prizes
2:20 pm – 2:35 pm	Board of Directors Meeting

Announcements:

- The AMATYC Annual Conference is in Philadelphia, PA this year November 19th-22nd
<https://www.amatyc.org/conference/2026-conference/>

The presentations proceeded as summarized in the program above.

ALEKS Presentation:

- Contact Ted at McGraw Hill if you would like to see the new ALEKS Calc I with review content, or be a reviewer for ALEKS Calc II and/or Calc III.

Business Meeting:

- Secretary Report (Luanne Benson-Lender) - Link to last meeting's minutes: [Click here!](#)
 - Minutes approved with no corrections, will be filed.
- Treasurer Report (Matthew Kennedy)
 - Old National Bank: \$668.50 checking, \$1129.98 savings
 - Cheddar account: \$210 ready for transfer, \$105 waiting to clear before transfer
 - Cash received today: \$40
- Scholarship Committee (Matthew Kennedy)
 - 5 applicants this year, and the committee found the candidate pool was exceptionally strong.
 - 2 recommendations from the committee for awards: Jason Branham (Ivy Tech Bloomington), Oluwadamilola Oyegbola (Ivy Tech Columbus).
 - Motion: Award \$400 scholarship for Fall 2026 to each student. Motion was seconded and unanimously approved.
- Website Committee (Luanne Benson-Lender)
 - SSL certificate update – AMATYC would have to pay for a certificate for every affiliate website and they do not, so if we want to fix this issue we will have to pursue alternative hosting.
 - Exploring alternate hosting options: if anyone knows of a good value web hosting/domain registration (maybe with a discount for nonprofits), contact Luanne.
 - Luanne will bring a more modern looking website design draft to the next meeting (but keeping the embedded google doc for ease of updates).
- Nomination Committee (Ed Gallo)
 - 5 nominees from the committee for the Board of Directors: Kinga Oliver, Ed Gallo, Paul Hessert, Ren Simmons, Victoria Kruglov. Nominations were closed with no further nominations from the floor.
- Election of 3 Board Directors (July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2028)
 - Election results: Kinga Oliver, Ed Gallo, and Victoria Kruglov are elected to the Board of Directors, term expiring 2029.
- Discussion on Conferences
 - Fall 2026 Conference is scheduled for September 18, 2026 at Ivy Tech Downtown Indianapolis. (Previously decided)
 - Spring 2027 Conference is now scheduled for April 9, 2026 at Ivy Tech Bloomington.
- Celebrations/Announcements
 - Indianapolis Ivy Tech Campus participated in the AMATYC Student Math League this year and it was a great experience for the students. If anyone has any questions, you can contact Matthew for more information about their experience.